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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. 97,338-A3)

PATENT

In the Application of:

Ford et al.

Serial No.: 09/896,649

Filing Date: June 29, 2001

For: Fluid Dispenser

Examiner: Not Assigned

Group Art Unit: 1723

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Dear Sir:

In regard to the above identified application,

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- a) No fee is required.
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Respectfully submitted,

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